SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SHIMOGA DISTRICT BOARD AT ITS SECOND ORDINARY MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY, THE 28TH NOVEMBER 1916, AT 2 P.M.

PRESENT.

A. Subramanya Iyer, Esq., B.A., President.

Official Members.

1. Mr. M. Zahiruddin Mecci, B.A., Assistant Commissioner, Shimoga Sub-Division, Shimoga.
2. ,, P. Subba Rao, B.A., B.L., Acting Assistant Commissioner, Sagar Sub-Division, Sagar.
3. ,, C. Gopalachar, B.A., Treasury Assistant Commissioner, Shimoga.
4. ,, V. R. Nijagal, Executive Engineer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga.
5. ,, C. Appadore Mudaliar, L.M. & S., District Medical Officer, Shimoga.
6. ,, M. G. Srinivasa Pidpet, L.M. & S., District Sanitary Officer, Shimoga.
7. ,, K. N. Veerabhadriah, B.A., District Inspector of Schools, Shimoga.

The Special Revenue Officer, Malnad Improvement, Shimoga District, the District Economic Superintendent, Shimoga, and the Amildars of Shimoga, Sorab and Sagar were also present.

ABSENT.

Nil.

PRESENT.

Non-official Members.

1. Rev. Father Poulnais, Shimoga, Shimoga Taluk.
2. Mr. Khaji Syed Mahomed, Shimoga, Shimoga Taluk.
3. ,, Batni Bheema Rao, Shimoga, Shimoga Taluk.
4. ,, Nadig Shankarappa, Holehonnur, Shimoga Taluk.
5. ,, C. Subba Rao, B.A., B.L., Advocate, Shimoga.
6. ,, Nadig Bheema Rao, Santebennur, Channagiri Taluk.
7. ,, Gowda Halappa, Nallur, Channagiri Taluk.
8. ,, Rustum Alli Khan, Honnali, Honnali Taluk.
9. ,, Revani Siddayya, Nyamti, Honnali Taluk.
10. ,, Nadig Lakshmana Rao, Sorab, Sorab Taluk.
11. ,, Nadig Bhaskara Rao, Hosabale, Sorab Taluk.
12. ,, Surahonne Halappa, Siralkoppa, Shikarpur Taluk.
13. ,, Sreenivasa Dikshit, Shikarpur, Shikarpur Taluk.
14. ,, Kanakaiya, Nagar, Nagar Taluk.
15. ,, Guru Rao, Kumsi, Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

ABSENT.

1. Rev. R. W. Boote, B.Sc., Shimoga, Shimoga Taluk.
2. Mr. Rattihalli Puttappa, Sagar, Sagar Taluk.
3. ,, Yagiyana Krishnappa, Sagar, Sagar Taluk.
4. ,, C. Vamana Rao, Nagar, Nagar Taluk.
5. ,, Agumbe Rama Rao, Tirthahalli, Tirthahalli Taluk.
6. ,, Ramannagowda, Devangi, Tirthahalli Taluk.

Messrs. Devangi Ramannagowda and C. Vamana Rao have intimated that they could not attend the meeting on account of their inconvenience.

Rev. R. W. Boote, B.Sc., writes to say that he cannot be present at the meeting, as he is temporarily transferred to Mysore.

The other members have not given the reason of absence.

1. Read the receipts and expenditure of the District Board for the months of July and August 1916.

Recorded.

	Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
July	3,341	9	0	5,773	14	11
August	2,900	0	3	6,813	2	3

2. Read the following estimates, sanctioned by the President in anticipation of the Board's approval:—

Approved.

Name of work.	*Amount of estimate.*
	Rs.
Annual repairs to Sorab-Chandragutti road	180
Do Sorab-Hosabale road	150
Do Ulvi-Kadasur road	120
Do Jade-Bommenahalli road	50
Udri Union works	180
Mudidoddikoppa works	194
Kubatur do	100
Thattur do	45
Anavatti do	48
Hechey do	60
Jade Union do	100
Original road works in Benkipur Union	200
Do Holehonnur do	200
Do Arabilichi do	400
Do Kudligere do	200
Repairs in Holehonnur Union	200
Annual repairs to Nyamti-Arundi road	60
Do Nyamti-Surahonne road	200
Belagutti Union repairs	300
Annual repairs to Sagar-Maradavalli road	100
Do Sagar-Bheemanakone road	90
Do Sagar-Varadamula road	80
Do Sagar-Ikkeri road	30
Do Sagar-Keladi road	100
Do Karur-Thoramani road	40
Do Nagodi-Kodachadri road	180
Do Ramachandrapur Matt road	60
Do Humcha-Humchadakatte road	60
Repairs lanterns in Nagar Union	10
Do Bheemanakatte road	40
Do Araga road	60
Do Kavaledurga road	150

3. Read the following estimate countersigned by the President in anticipation of the Board's approval.

Approved.

(*d*) Estimate for urgent repairs to Kumsi-Harnahalli road for Rs. 363.

4. Letter No. 9220—L. B. 24-15-8, dated 19th June 1916, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Revenue Department, enquiring whether the District Board are prepared to meet one-half of cost of the new road from Shikarpur to Masur, in case the Government can provide for the other half.

Resolved that half ($\frac{1}{2}$) the cost be met from District Funds and the necessary funds be reappropriated.

5. Docket No. 27, dated 5th July 1916, from the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, intimating that the Forest Department is not prepared to construct the full length of road from Siragere to Mandagadde and the question may be dropped for the present.

Resolved that the matter be deferred for the present.

6. Letter No. 1, dated 1st July 1916, from the District Health Officer, forwarding for approval of the President, a sample form showing the quarterly return of Sanitary Progress achieved in the villages coming under the operation of the Village Sanitation Rules.

Approved.

7. Letter No. 21, dated 10th July 1916, from the President, Shimoga Town Municipality, forwarding a copy of letter No. 9154—Ml. 22-15-38, dated 16th June 1916, calling for the resolution of the District Board in the matter of the discontinuance of the Municipal contribution consequent on the revision of the establishment now proposed.

If the Government think that the Shimoga Municipality are to send all reports and returns direct to Government and not at all to the District President of

Municipalities, the Municipal contribution may well cease; but as the Regulation is to be revised soon to embody the principles about Local Self-Government enunciated in Government Order No. 3005-55—Ml. 132-16-1, dated 16th November 1916, this matter may be deferred till such revision and the contribution continued

8. Letter No. 57, dated 26th July 1916, from the Vice-President, Shimoga Town Municipality, submitting a proposal for entertaining one mutsaddi and one scavenger in addition to the existing establishment of Courpalais' Chattram at Shimoga, and further communication dated 18th November 1916, recommending the purchase and maintenance of three hanging lamps to the chattram.

Referred to a Sub-Committee consisting of the Treasury Assistant Commissioner, Mr. Batni Bheema Rao, Mr. C. Subba Rao, Mr. Appadore Mudaliar and the District Health Officer.

9. Report No. 465, dated 25th May 1916, from the Amildar, Nagar Taluk, submitting the imprest book for the recoupment of Rs. 10-1-0 paid out of District Fund Imprest in the year 1908 and 1913, towards the contingent expenses, etc.

Resolved that the imprest be recouped.

10. Official Memorandum No. 7988—Med. 121-15-2 of the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General Department, forwarding for disposal the petition from the residents of Megaravalli in the Tirthahalli Taluk, praying for issue of orders for payment of rent for the building in which the Local Fund Dispensary is located.

Resolved that the rent be paid and arrears also and that the offer of Rs. 1,000 of Mr. Appu Bhat for a dispensary building be accepted and funds reappropriated for a dispensary building here.

11. Yadi No. 34, dated 13th July 1916, from the Assistant Commissioner, Sagar, submitting for sanction an estimate for removing silt from the Varadamula honda in the Sagar Taluk for Rs. 422.

Resolved that the estimate be returned for the resolution of the Taluk Board.

12. Application of Mr. V. D. Pandit of Bangalore, dated 7th August 1916, praying that a copy of his monthly journal "Vaidya Sindhu" may be bought for the use of the Indigenous Dispensaries in the Shimoga District and Official Memorandum No. 1043-52—Med. 87-15-15, dated 2nd August 1916, received from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, General Department on the same subject.

Resolved that a copy be subscribed for for one year and supplied to the Native Pandit of Shimoga.

13. Report No. 69, dated 17th July 1916, from the Amildar, Sagar, submitting for payment, a work bill for Rs. 10 due to the contractor Raghavapille for having executed some repairs to Anantapur musafirkhana building in the year 1912-13.

Resolved that the amount be paid.

14. Report No. 17, dated 4th July 1916, from the Amildar, Shikarpur Taluk, requesting permission to open a cattle pound at Udagani and also submitting for sanction an estimate for Rs. 200 for the construction of a cattle pound there.

Resolved that a pound be constructed at Udagani and funds reappropriated for the purpose.

15. Letter No. Fl. 818-454-15-2, dated 3rd August 1916, from the Financial Secretary to the Government of Mysore, calling for a report regarding the opinion of the District Board as to whether they are agreeable to the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 200 under Article 401, Mysore Service Regulation to the eldest son of S. Rahiman Sheriff, late hakim of Holehonnur Unani Hospital.

Resolved that a gratuity of Rs. 200 be granted, the charge being met from the sum of Rs. 300 under D. Miscellaneous.

16. Letter dated 25th August 1916, from the Managing Honorary Secretary to the Mysore Institution for the Deaf-Mutes and the Blind requesting an increase of grant sanctioned by the District Board, Shimoga, from the year 1916-17 towards the education of the students of the institution.

Resolved that a sum of Rs. 60 a year be granted with effect from 1st January 1917, the extra cost being met from Rs. 300 under D. Miscellaneous.

17. Letter No. O. C. 121 (Gen.) 1916-17, dated 5th September 1916, from the Deputy Commissioner and President of the Shimoga District Committee, forwarding a copy of letter

No. 946, dated 25th August 1916, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore in the matter of providing quarters to the Sub-Assistant Surgeon in the compound of the Dispensary at Sagar.

Resolved that one-third of cost be paid, if the Municipality and Government bear their quotas.

18. Yadi No. 184, dated 4th September 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Shimoga, recommending the sale of the present musafirkhana building in Shikarpur town and the construction of a new one in its place as the old one cannot be repaired as it is.

Resolved that the matter be deferred for the present.

19. Yadi No. 145, dated 15th August 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Shimoga, recommending the construction of a musafirkhana at Thogarsi in Shikarpur Taluk.

Resolved that this be deferred till the musafirkhanas at Mandagadde and Chandragutti are built.

20. Report No. 291, dated 10th September 1916, from the Amildar of Channagiri Taluk, submitting the resolution of the Taluk Board in the matter of payment of Rs. 5 per mensem to the building to be engaged for a new hospital at Santebennur out of the Union Funds.

Approved.

21. Yadi No. 191, dated 28th August 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Shimoga, recommending the transfer of shandy (sante) now held at Sulekere in the Channagiri Taluk to Hossur in the same taluk.

Resolved that the sante be shifted to Hossur.

22. Yadi No. 112, dated 27th July 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Sagar, proposing the increase of pay to the sweeper attached to the musafirkhana at Ripponpet in the Nagar Taluk from Rs. 3 to 4.

Resolved that the increase be sanctioned.

23. Yadi No. 216, dated 8th September 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Sagar, recommending the constitution of Shekunavalli, Shankarikoppa and Thuyalukoppa in the Sorab Taluk into Shakunavalli Union as prayed for by the villagers.

This may be deferred, as under Government Order No. 3005-55—Ml. 132-16-1, dated 16th November 1916, Unions are likely to be abolished.

24. Yadi No. 204, dated 6th September 1916, from the Sub-Division Officer, Sagar submitting the resolution of the Sagar Taluk Board in the matter of the taking over the village road leading to Avadi village from the 8th mile on the Avinahalli-Bhatkal road in the Sagar Taluk, to the management of the District Funds and paying a grant of Rs. 15 a mile annually for its maintenance out of the funds of the Board.

Deferred to next meeting.

25. Report No. 372, dated 22nd September 1916, from the Amildar of Tirthahalli Taluk, submitting the following travelling allowance bills of the Taluk Board members for favour of countersignature and transmission to the Comptroller :—March, April, May, June, August, October and December 1914 ; and January, February, August, October and December 1915.

Resolved that the bills be passed.

26. Government Order No. 2440—L. B. 52-16-2, dated 19th October 1916, declining to sanction the remission of Rs. 645-2-1 in favour of Basappa, the contractor of the Ferry, across the Tungabhadra at Honnali as recommended by the District Board.

Recorded.

27. Letter No. 1462, dated 23rd September 1916, from the Senior Surgeon to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, on the subject of the establishment of maternities in the district and requesting to be favoured with the resolution signifying their consent to pay their quota towards the construction and maintenance of the proposed Maternities.

Resolved that one-third cost of the Maternity buildings at Tirthahalli and Shimoga be met from District Funds, as also one-half (½) of the annual maintenance charges.

28. Memo No. 2252—10952, dated 31st October 1916, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Public Works Department, Bangalore, forwarding a copy of letter No. 2251—10951, dated 31st October 1916, addressed to the Superintending Engineer,

Northern Circle, communicating the sanction of an estimate for Rs. 32,580 for opening out the First Section of Anantapur-Shikarpur road in the Shimoga District.

Recorded.

29. Docket No. 239, dated 31st October 1916, from the Executive Engineer, Shimoga, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 500 for metalling bad portions of Shiralkoppa-Honagal road for countersignature.

Resolved that the estimate be countersigned and Rs. 500 appropriated for this purpose out of the grant of Rs. 5,000 for Shikarpur-Anantapur road.

30. Docket No. 241, dated 2nd instant, from the Executive Engineer, Shimoga Division, forwarding an estimate for special repairs to Honnali-Shikarpur road for Rs. 496.

Resolved that the estimate be countersigned and the cost be met from the sum of Rs. 3,300 provided in the budget for special repairs of roads.

31. Yadi No. 362, dated 12th instant, from Sub-Division Officer, Shimoga, recommending the grant of an Amrut Mahal bull at concession rates to Lingadahalli villagers in Channagiri Taluk.

Resolved that a bull at concession rates be supplied to the Lingadahalli villagers in the Channagiri Taluk.

32. Letter No. 2012-6—L. B. 32-15-1, dated 9th September 1915, from the Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Revenue Department, in the matter of levying Railway cess in the district.

Resolved that as approved by seven of the Taluk Boards, Railway cess at three pies in the rupee be levied on all items on which Local cess is now levied.

33. Memo No. 1432, dated 22nd instant, from the District Medical Officer, Shimoga District, forwarding Senior Surgeon's memo No. 2157, dated 18th November 1916, requesting to be favoured with a fresh resolution of the District Board in the matter of meeting the entire pay of the Relieving Compounder to be employed for the district.

Resolved that the full pay of the Relieving Compounder be met from District Funds the cost being met from savings in the budget under D. 2 Medical relief.

34. Docket No. 198, dated 31st August 1916, from Sub-Division Officer, Sagar, recommending the old Sandal koti building at Anantapur in Sagar Taluk may be utilized for locating the new Forest Range Office.

Approved.

35. The following Government orders are read:—

Government Order No. 1903-19—L. B. 103-15-13, dated 14th September 1916, sanctioning the Local Funds General budget for the year 1916-17.

Recorded.

36. Government Order No. 3005-55—Ml. 132-16-1, dated 16th November 1916, passing orders on the scheme for the development of Local Self-Government in Mysore.

Recorded.

37. Memo No. 1073, dated 2nd instant, from the District Medical Officer, forwarding the application of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon of Kumsi, praying for the payment of the allowance of Rs. 5 per mensem sanctioned by the District Board for visiting Ayanur and Harnahalli once a week.

Resolved that the cost be met out of the savings under D. 2 Medical relief due to the late opening of some dispensaries.

38. Memo dated 28th August 1916, from the Vice-President, Shimoga Municipality, submitting an application from the people of Shimoga town, praying for the supply of a breeding bull to the Veterinary Hospital, Shimoga, as the one supplied died on the 22nd June 1916 of foot and mouth disease.

Resolved that ½ (half) the cost of the bull be paid from District Funds in accordance with Government Order No. R. 3852-69—Agri. 143-11-3, dated 28th January 1913, the cost being met out of savings of the cost for the maintenance of the bull this year.

39. Report No. 157, dated 20th instant, from Amildar, Honnali Taluk, submitting the resolution of the Taluk Board of Honnali for holding a cattle show every year at Rampur instead of in alternate years as was hitherto done and recommends a sum of Rs. 425 to be granted for jatra expenses out of the District Funds.

Resolved that the show be held annually and that a sum of Rs. 100 for prizes and Rs. 200 for temporary Municipal purposes be sanctioned.

40. Government Order No. 2970—L. B., dated 14th November 1916, recording a list of incomplete works of the Shimoga District Board for the year 1915-16.

Recorded.

Resolved that the next meeting be held on the 15th February 1917.

A. SUBRAMANYA IYER,
President, District Board.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Notice dated 8th December 1916.

The public are hereby informed that it is proposed to hold a cattle show at Antargatte, in the Kadur Taluk, during the car festival of Sri Durgamma of that village. The show will be held on Friday the 9th and Saturday the 10th February 1917.

2. No fee will be charged on cattle of any kind admitted to the cattle show.

3. Required quantity of fodder will be made available for sale near the cattle enclosure.

4. Prizes as mentioned below will be given in silver medals and in cash to the cattle brought to the show:—

	Prize.	Rs.
I. Breeding bulls	1st	15
Do	2nd	10
II. Ploughing bullocks	1st	15
Do (pairs)	2nd	10
III. Draught bullocks	1st	15
Do (pairs)	2nd	10
IV. Calves	1st	6
	2nd	4
	Total	85

T. ABDUL KHADER,
For *President, District Board.*

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

MEETING NO. 3 OF 1916-17.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING OF THE CHITALDRUG DISTRICT BOARD, HELD ON WEDNESDAY, THE 29TH NOVEMBER 1916, AT HIRIYUR.

PRESENT.

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A., President.

PRESENT.

Ex-officio Members.

1. Mr. T. Chokkanna, B.A., Sub-Division Officer, Chitaldrug.
2. ,, Ananda Rao S. Sirsi, B.A., LL.B., Sub-Division Officer, Davangere.
3. ,, Anandalwar, Executive Engineer, Chitaldrug Division.
4. ,, C. Rajaram Rao, District Medical Officer, Chitaldrug District.
5. ,, Venkata Rao, District Inspector of Education, Chitaldrug District.

ABSENT.

6. Mr. M. G. Samuel, District Sanitary Officer, Chitaldrug District.
7. ,, M. Hassan Ali, Treasury Assistant Commissioner and Vice-President.

PRESENT.

Non-official Members.

1. Mr. Kariyanna, Patel.
2. ,, Channaviraiya.
3. ,, Shanbhog Subbanna.
4. ,, Bhari Sanna Thippeswami.
5. ,, Gundappa.
6. ,, D. Ramanna.
7. ,, H. V. Gopalaiya.
8. ,, Gowda Nagappa.
9. Mr. Jodidar Shamachar.
10. ,, Anantha Chetti.
11. ,, Sanna Thippaiya.
12. ,, Naraina Chetti.
13. ,, Settara Pommanna.
14. ,, Abdul Razak.
15. ,, Gurusiddappa.